<u>REMARKS</u>

Entry of the Corrected Literal English Translation and the instant amendment are respectfully requested prior to examination of the above-identified patent application.

The Corrected Literal English Translation is submitted herewith because in the English translation filed March 29, 2005, when entering the national stage, formula (4) appearing on pages 5 and 35 (in claim 11), which had been erroneously indicated in the specification of the International Application as originally filed, had been replaced with the corrected formula that was filed. Accordingly, in order that a literal English translation of the International Application as filed is of record in the instant application, Applicants are submitting herewith a corrected literal English translation which is marked "Corrected Literal English Translation". Entry of this corrected literal English translation is respectfully requested.

If any fee is necessary for entry of this corrected English translation, authorization is hereby provided to charge any required fee to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

Moreover, entry of the instant amendment to correct erroneous formula (4) is respectfully requested so that the carbonyl group attached to R⁵ in formula (4) is amended to an ester group (CO-O). Support for this amendment is found throughout Applicants' originally filed application, especially in formula (3) on page 3, which indicates each ester group attached with R⁵ and R⁶. Furthermore, the compound of formula (3) is explained at the bottom of page 4 of the specification to be obtained by reaction of formula (4) with a copolymer containing the component unit A and the

component unit B at a molar ratio of 7/3 to 3/7. Accordingly, the amendment should not be considered to add new matter.

Moreover, a citation in the specification has been corrected and a typographical error in claim 1 has been corrected.

The claim identifiers included in the listing of claims is based upon the amendments herein with respect to the previously filed Preliminary Amendment when entering the national stage on March 29, 2005.

If the Examiner has any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

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